

JOB HAZARD ANALYSIS (JHA)		Date: 04-01-06	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New JHA Revised JHA
Task: Transportation of large animals		JHA #19	Page <u>1</u> of <u>1</u>
Task Overview:	APHIS personnel will be transporting animals of large (50 lbs. or greater) size and weight.		
Task Elements:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Restraining large animals • Preparing large animals for transport • Transporting large animals 		
Personal Protective Equipment:	Work clothes, Dust mask, air purifying respirator, safety glasses, nitrile (exam) gloves, work gloves		
Tools and Equipment:	Motor vehicle, animal trailer		
OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH CONCERNS			
Chemical Agents: Various possible	Physical Agents: Bites/scrapes/gorges Stepping on/falling on	Biological Agents: Allergic reactions Animal borne pathogens	
Activity/Sequence of Job Steps	Potential Hazards/ Injury sources	Safe Action or Procedure	
1) Restrain large animals	Working with possible chemically contaminated animals Bites/scrapes/gorges Stepping on/falling on Allergic reactions Animal borne pathogens	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See JHA #7, Working with Large Animals 	
2) Prepare Large Animal for transport	Working with possible chemically contaminated animals Bites/scrapes/gorges Stepping on/falling on Allergic reactions Animal borne pathogens	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assure the animal is properly restrained • Inspect the animal trailer/vehicle to assure it is safe for the animal and handlers • Ready the animal • Have an experienced animal handler lead the animal into the trailer/vehicle 	
3) Transport the animal	Motor vehicle Trailer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See JHA # 3, driving or automobiles • Care must be taken as vehicle is carrying a heavy load and will react differently than when unloaded 	